

# The Paducah Sun.

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## NO COAL STRIKE NOW

Miners and Operators Finally Reach an Agreement.

Heavy Loss from the Breaking of a Levee Near New Orleans.

## MUCH NEWS BY WIRE

### AGREEMENT REACHED.

Louisville, March 31—The miners and operators have reached an agreement which will mean practically a 10 per cent increase, and there will be no strike in Western Kentucky. The details of the agreement are not given out.

### ANOTHER LEVEE BREAKS.

New Orleans, March 31—A big levee at Anglos, on the east side of the river, broke this morning, flooding a vast section including the state convict camp levee, owned by the state. The loss is enormous.

### ALL FOR NOTHING.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 31—Judge Murphy in his findings, declared that the identity of the murderer of Braddock had not been proved.

### SUED FOR DIVORCE.

Lexington, March 31—A. F. Wheeler, a prominent merchant of Lexington, has been sued for divorce.

### SPECULATOR SUICIDES.

New York, March 31—Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, a widow, committed suicide by shooting herself in the head. Despondency over loss of \$90,000 in the stock market is the cause.

### KILLED HIS CHILD.

Denver, Col., March 31—H. Patter son, a divorced ranchman, visited his former wife, at Bayfield, Col., and while his six year old daughter was in his lap, shot and killed the child, and committed suicide.

### RATIFICATIONS EXCHANGED.

Washington, March 31—Ratifications of the Cuban reciprocity treaty were exchanged by Secretary Hay and Minister Quesada today.

### TOOK POISON.

Evansville, Ind., March 31—Carl Plummer, of Crab Orchard, Ky., committed suicide at Evansville, by taking poison.

### INJURED IN EXPLOSION.

Pittsburg, March 31—Fourteen men were seriously burned and three fatally injured as a result of an explosion at the blast furnace in the Edgar Thompson works at Braddock, Pa.

### FIRE AT HENDERSON.

Henderson, March 31—The saloon and restaurant of W. R. Evans was robbed by burglars and set on fire and badly damaged.

### DEATH IN LOGAN COUNTY.

Louisville, March 31—R. W. Bowles, one of Logan county's wealthiest citizens, is dead.

### CUT SWEETHEART'S THROAT.

Cincinnati, March 31—As the result of a Sunday drunk, Forest McCord, a barber of Bonnville, O., cut the throat of Miss Charity Storts, his sweetheart, from ear to ear and killed himself in a similar manner.

### DEATH AT DANVILLE.

Danville, Ky., March 31—Sydney Vanable Rowland, one of the most prominent citizens of Danville, is dead.

### CIGARMAKERS STRIKE.

Denver, Col., March 31—All the cigar factories in Denver have been closed by a sympathetic strike.

### A DISTILLERY BURNS.

Louisville, Ky., March 31—The J. G. Mattingly distillery at Fortieth and High streets, this city, was destroyed by fire late this afternoon, causing a loss of \$50,000. The distillery was one of the largest in the city, and was owned by the Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse company. For a time the large warehouses in the vicinity of the distillery seemed in danger, but they were finally saved with practically no damage. The loss is covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known.

ARENZ & GILBERT.

## TO INSTALL BIG FAN

Illinois Central Preparing for Fuel Saver.

The Shops at Memphis Turned Over to Illinois Central Officers.

A large fan will be put up in the U. S. woodworking shops to carry off the shavings from the many machines there and the shops will then present a much cleaner appearance.

The fan will be a large one and pipes from all machines will lead into the engine room and the shavings drawn into this place, where they will be used as fuel. All shavings from the many machines are being burned in the furnace and at present have to be carted away. This unnecessary labor will be done away with when the fan is working, and it will also add to the convenience of the laborers.

The Illinois Central shops at Memphis have been finished and turned over to the road. The machines are all running and the company now has invested in Memphis over \$1,000,000, all put there in eight months.

### PROMINENT MAN KILLED.

Paris, Ky., March 31—J. B. Clay, one of the largest land owners of this county, was accidentally shot and killed by his wife while they were at target practice at their home near here. The shooting was done with a shotgun. The charge severed the jugular vein and then entered the left lung.

He was a son of Hon. Cassius M. Clay, Jr., president of the late constitutional convention.

### BUYS VALUABLE PROPERTY.

St. Louis, March 31—The Wabash railroad has paid \$250,000 for an entire block in St. Louis on which it will build a new freight depot.

### THE MARKETS.

WHAT	OPEN	HIGH	CLOSE
May.	72	72	72
July.	70	69	68
CORN			
May.	431	431	431
July.	421	421	421
OATS			
May.	351	351	351
July.	351	351	351
POUNDS			
May.	18.45	18.45	17.35
July.	17.35	17.35	17.35
LARD			
May.	10.10	10.10	10.05
July.	10.05	10.05	10.05
RIBS			
May.	8.82	8.82	8.80
July.	8.80	8.80	8.80
STOCKS			
T. C.	131	131	131
L. & N.	117	117	117
Mr. P.	106	106	107
U. S.	107	107	107
U. N. P.	10	10	10

### DAILY MARKET LETTER.

Wall Street, New York, March 31—As usual stocks opened strong and continued so during the entire session, the entire list closing near the highest points. High money rates had no effect on the markets. Call money opened at 6 per cent, and ranged between five and six during the greater part of the forenoon; after that it suddenly took a spurt to 12 per cent.

This had no effect whatever but the only solution we see to this is that the operators who have been fighting Keene realize that he is heavily short on this market and should the Kentucky courts refuse to grant his injunction tomorrow they could then by forcing the market and call money to a higher level force him to throw over his lines. J. P. Morgan gives out a bullish interview and says alarm about undigested new issues needless. Bonds have lost to sub-treasury, since Friday, \$1,720,000. We believe the advance in stocks today due largely to the fight between the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific people. How, when or where it will end no one knows. The back reserves are about equal to those of a year ago, but stocks are many points lower than then. Keene is certainly not in an enviable position and there are rumors of seeking his scalp. There is also some fear that money may command higher rates for months to come and in that event stocks would have to come near to a 6 per cent basis. We believe profits should be taken on all rallies.

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## GEN. JACKSON DEAD

Noted Confederate Soldier Dies at Belle Meade.

Had Served in Both the Indian and the Civil Wars.

### CHEAPER PAPER IS PROMISED

### DEATH OF VETERAN.

Nashville, Tenn., March 31—General William H. Jackson, a noted Confederate cavalry leader during the civil war, when he bore the sobriquet of "Red" Jackson, died at his home, Belle Meade, near here, in his 88th year. At the close of the Civil war

General Jackson was in command of Forrest's old division, with the Texas brigade added. Since the war he has devoted himself to agriculture and the breeding of thoroughbred running horses. Two children, William H. Jackson Jr., and Mrs. Selene Elliston, survive him. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

General Jackson was born at Paris, Tenn., in 1815, and acquired a preparatory education in the schools at Jackson. He entered West Point as a cadet in 1832 and graduated in 1836.

In the following year General Jackson went to New Mexico as an officer in a regiment of mounted rifles and actively participated in the principal Indian fights with such adventures as Kit Carson. He resigned his commission in the United States army upon the outbreak of the civil war, and offered his sword to his native state and was appointed a captain of artillery by Governor Harris.

General Jackson married the daughter of General W. G. Harding in 1868, and became associated with his father-in-law in the conduct of Belle Meade stock farm.

### CHEAPER PAPER PROMISED

Memphis, Tenn., March 31—Those who use paper extensively like the daily newspapers and the publishing houses have cause to rejoice over the success that has attended the making of paper from pine shavings at Orange, Tex., in the vast piney woods of the Lone Star State. Paper must be cheap.

The supply of pine is practically inexhaustible and while the new process is in its infancy and most be ultimately benefited by improvements, the price of a ton of material out of which pine paper is made is only \$3 per ton, while by the old wood pulp method it is \$12.50 per ton. The trust may gather in the first of these enterprises but the paper consumers can make their own paper by organizing. There is pine everywhere and access to it can be had.

### SPEAK AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, March 31—Hendrick and Breckinridge speak here Wednesday night.

### NEW UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT.

Denver, March 31—Rev. Henry A. Buchtel, chancellor of the University of Denver, has been decided on as the new president of Denver university.

## WORK ON THE BRIDGE

Men Working Day and Night on Caldwell Street.

Cars Cannot Run Over It for Several Days—Paducah Goes to Ohio.

### NEWS IN BUSINESS CIRCLES

### JUDGE SANDERS GETTING NAMES OF "WASH LADIES"

He Says They All Claim to "Take in Wash."

Washing."

Judge Sanders has decided that he will break up the "washer woman" gang and punish some of the women who invariably give this as their means of a livelihood when applying for warrants.

"Nearly every unmarried negro woman who comes to my office to procure a warrant," Judge Sanders stated this morning, "is a 'washer woman,' and earns her living in this manner to hear her tell it. I have seen so much of it that I have decided to investigate every case and have secured a list on which I enter the names of all persons desiring to secure warrants and who have no visible means of support other than taking in washing." Nearly

every day, some negro comes to my office to procure a warrant against some of her sex who has done her an injury, and in nearly every case the assault is "absolutely unprovoked." I have investigated several of these cases and found that the women had not done any washing in months and were living off men of their acquaintance over whom the trouble originated. These women have friends about their men friends and generally ending in a fight followed by a court airing, and nine cases out of ten turn out this way. I always ask the woman swearing out the warrant her vocation, and when she says 'washing,' I take down her name and there will be a general shaking up hereafter as I do not intend to stand it any longer."

The list is large and growing every day, and it will doubtless be a great surprise to find out how many washer women there are in the city.

### MYSTERIOUS CASE

### COLORED RAILROAD MAN CAN NOT TELL OF ACCIDENT.

A colored man was brought to the railroad hospital this morning from St. Charles on the early morning train from the east and is in an unconscious condition and nothing can be learned from him.

Mr. John Davis has resigned his position at Hank Bros. to go into partnership with Mr. B. J. Bitting, his brother-in-law, who owns a job printing office.

### HIS SWEETHEART GAME.

Cincinnati, March 31—William Argo shot and badly wounded Miss Ellen Barker at Ironton, O. She returned the fire, wounding him in the leg. They were formerly sweethearts.

### NEW TICKET AGENT.

### INDIANA MAN ARRIVES TO TAKE THE DAY JOB.

Mr. J. M. Danbenstock of Indiana is here today to be checked in as day ticket agent and operator at the Illinois Central depot, succeeding Mr. Shepherd, who resigned several weeks ago and was transferred to Central City.

Since Mr. Shepherd left, the night agent, Mr. Mason, has been filling both positions and it was not until today that he got relief.

### DEATH AT HOT SPRINGS

### MR. C. H. LANE SUCCUMBS TO LONG ILLNESS.

News of the death of Mr. O. B. Lane at Hot Springs, Ark., was received here today. The deceased was a father of Mr. Walter Lane, a well known stone cutter who resided here for several years. Mr. Lane, Jr., went to Hot Springs several months ago to be with his father, who has been suffering from dropsy for some time.

### MARRIED AT METROPOLIS.

### MARSHALL COUNTY COUPLE Eloped There Today.

Metropolis, Ill., March 31—Charles E. Egner and Miss Sarah E. Harper of Altona, Marshall county, eloped today and were married here by Justice Thomas Liggett.

## IS KEEPING A LIST

Town Marshal of Bardwell Mysteriously Disappears.

There Are Snapshots of Foul Play—Was After Bank Robbers.

### NO TRACE OF HIM FOUND

There is much excitement in Bardwell, Carlisle county, 22 miles from Paducah, over the mysterious disappearance of Town Marshal Thomas Warden, who vanished last Friday and has not been seen or heard of since. A telephone message this afternoon from Bardwell stated that no trace of him has yet been discovered, and his family and friends are very

## MANY TELEPHONES

Paducah is one of the best towns in the country.

A telephone to every twelve people, or every other household.

### SOME INTERESTING FIGURES

It is probably not generally known that Paducah is one of the best telephone towns in the country. Paducah people now have more telephones in proportion to the number of inhabitants than any city in the south, which is taken to mean that the people are prosperous and up-to-date and are able to enjoy a telephone.

The East Tennessee Telephone company has been enlarging and improving its local system for several months past, and the People's Independent Telephone company will start up in a few days. The East Tennessee company is now preparing its new list of subscribers, which shows that it has 1628 bona fide subscribers, an increase of over 800 since the January directory was issued.

This is the largest increase in the same length of time in the history of the company.

It was only a few years ago that there were only 200 subscribers in Paducah, and only two day and one night operators, while now the company employs a total force of thirty-six operators, 20 on the day force, 11 on the evening force and five who work all night. Each force is under a chief who has served many years with the company. The day force works from 7 a. m. to 4 p. m., the evening force from 4 until 9:30 p. m., and the all night force from 9:30 p. m. until 7 a. m.

Paducah's per cent is 8.1, or a telephone for every 12.3 inhabitants, or a telephone to every other household, allowing six to the family.

Nor is the city the only place in which interest has been aroused in the telephone, as the residents of the country have learned that by putting in a telephone they can have constant and quick communication with friends and business men in the city. In addition to the many phones already in use in this country, the East Tennessee company now has unfilled orders for many more, which will be installed as soon as the weather and ground permit. The work will require about two months and every road in the country will be covered.

Paducah's increasing out of town business is evidenced by the toll receipts, which show the amount of talk done over the long distance lines. The merchants are doing a big telephone order business with merchants in other towns, which shows that Paducah is growing.

As an illustration, the East Tennessee company last October put in a new toll box which it thought would be sufficient for its needs for two years to come. But the business has increased to such an extent, and new lines and additional connections have

## SOME NEW THINGS AT ELEY DRY GOODS CO.

Handsome line of ready-made shirtwaists, including the new Monte Carlo, prices \$1 to \$2.50.

A new thing in corsets is Salin's Perfect Bust Form and Corset combined, price \$1. This is something you MUST see.

Our new line of underwear is our best yet—complete in all details. See it.

Our Hosiery line is our pride. We have all the new things in blocks and colors, drop stitch and fancy lace for women and children, and at right prices.

Our dress patterns are all pretty.

## Eley Dry Goods Company

## Cold Grub



You may get plenty of exercise and at the same time your stomach and bowels will get out of fix. You wonder why—it's easy. You eat a cold meal in the middle of the day, wash it down with hot coffee or cold beer, finishing off with a lot of indigestible pastry and go back to work. If you will take a dose of

### Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

every night, it will unload your stomach and bowels and you will soon be able to eat anything without suffering.

W. E. Oswalt, of Ottumwa, Ia., writes under date of April 1, 1901: "I will take this means to inform you of the benefit I have received from using your Syrup Pepsin. I have been troubled with indigestion and my bowels in fact could have been down anything I could eat, and had a great between \$100 and \$200 with doctors without getting relief. One day I saw Syrup Pepsin advertised and as I had tried everything else, I took a dose and the next day after the first dose I could sit without a nauseous feeling. I have recommended Syrup Pepsin to a number of persons who used it with entire satisfaction. I will add that a friend stated he would have been willing six months ago to part with a \$500 reward for the relief he has obtained."

Your Money Back  
If It Doesn't Benefit You  
PEPSIN SYRUP CO., Monticello, Ill.

so added to the business that another new toll switchboard, with two more day and two more evening operators, has just been installed.

The company, as stated the other day, has also added a new device called the "calorigraph," which is something at the long distance switchboard which automatically registers the exact time each person rings, and is absolutely correct.

A new long distance toll line is also to be built by the East Tennessee down the N. C. and St. L. from Paducah to Paris, Tenn., connecting Paducah with all the intervening towns, and having in addition lines radiating in all directions from each town.

The People's Independent Telephone company is now about ready to begin operation in Paducah, after a year's preparation. It has one of the neatest and most complete exchanges in the state, and will start with good business. Its force will be well trained, and is expected to grow larger as the business expands. It is hoped to have some of the telephones working by April 1.

The company's long distance service will be over the Alexander lines, which it will reach by way of Simeonland, having a line nearly complete to the latter place.

If it could be ascertained how many different families in Paducah use telephones, the proportion would be much larger, no doubt, than stated above.

As some have both, and some have

only one, the above computation is

based on only one system. Enough is

known, however, to show that Paducah is one of the best telephone towns to be found anywhere.

### MRS. KATE SWIFT DEAD

#### AN ESTIMABLE CHRISTIAN LADY GOES TO HER REWARD.

Mrs. Kate Swift, aged 73, died last night at the home of her son, Mr. Prentiss Swift, 321 North Fourth street from the infirmities of old age. The deceased was widow of Paducah's first town marshal, who died many years ago. She lived here many years until about 10 years ago, when she moved to St. Louis with her son, Mr. Herbert Swift and remained until three years ago, when she returned to Paducah.

She was born in Palmyra, Tenn., and was a most estimable Christian lady who was loved and respected by all who knew her, and whose death will be a sad blow to many. She leaves three sons, Messrs. Joseph, Herbert and Prentiss Swift.

#### THE SUN'S NEW STORY.

Beginning tomorrow The Sun will publish the great historical novel, "When Knighthood Was in Flower," by Charles Major. This story has been known as one of the very best of this class of novels that has been produced by present-day writers and is still rated as one of the best selling books of the day. The Sun congratulates itself and its readers that it is able to give them such a story. It is true that the book has been widely read, but there are a host of people who have not read it, and a great number who would like to read it again, so if you happen to be in either class be sure that you get the first installment tomorrow.

The Clyde lived away from Tennessee river for a while out on her return trip tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock.

## OUR APRIL WEATHER

### Forecasts of What We May Expect.

Foster's Predictions for the Month Issued, Also Hicks' Predictions.

### BACKWARD MONTH EXPECTED

#### HICKS' PREDICTIONS.

April 1 and 2 are reactionary storm days, on and about which may be expected a decided rise in temperature, falling barometer high humidity and rain and thunder storms. The storm diagram shows a Meroncy period to be central on the 4th, so that cloudy and unsettled weather with snow squalls very probable in the north will be natural for several days at this time.

About the 5th it will change to very warm in the western sections, winds will shift to easterly and southerly, the barometer will begin falling and storms of rain, with some active hail thunders and wind, will pass eastwardly over most parts of the country, from the 8th to the 11th, inclusive.

After a few more days of chill and frost over all sections central and northwest, change to warmer with falling barometer and more April storms, will center about the 14th and 15th.

A regular cool period is central on the 19th, the moon being at last quarter on the same date. To expect on the 18th. As we enter this period look for a cool so much warmer to set in from the west—a short time 18th. The barometer will begin falling in the same section with the falling temperature, and from about Saturday the 18th to Tuesday the 21st, very decided so much warmer regular course from west to east across the country. Very warm, humid weather with low barometer—things probable e. t. in me—very well, just stormy storms of great energy, and those that do not do worst, less and less on the approach of storm clouds which the circumstances warrant.

The next period, in which storm conditions will develop and run their course, from west to east, will be central on the 21st and 25th.

Showery storm conditions will not pass off until after new moon on the 25th, after which date will follow a brief, short, but so much cooler and drier northward. And comes to its close in the opening days of a Vican storm period. Hence, all the temperature change to warmer will be in progress as the month goes out.

#### WHAT FOSTER SAYS.

Washington D. C., March 28—Last bulletin gave forecasts of day to day to cross continent March 26 to 30, warm wave 25 to 29, cool wave 18 to April 1.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about March 30, cross west of Rockies by close of 31, great central valleys April 1 to 3, Eastern states 4.

Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about March 30, great central valleys April 1, Eastern states 2.

Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about April 2, great central valleys 4, Eastern states 5.

This disturbance belongs to a cold period and will be in wave w' bring out moderate temperature as, while cool wave will go north, low pressure bringing the frost line far enough south to do some damage to vegetation.

Second disturbance of April will reach Pacific coast about April 4, cross west of Rockies by close of 5, great central valleys 6 to 8, Eastern states 9.

Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about 4, great central valleys 6, Eastern states 8. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about 7, great central valleys 9, Eastern states 11.

The warm wave of this disturbance will bring much higher temperatures than the one preceding and the cool wave will be moderate. The disturbance will take more northerly routes and rainfall will largely decrease.

Temperature of April will generally average below normal, during a backward season, but will after warmer between mid-May and the Rockies than east and west of that section.

Two great cool periods will come with April; one centering near 3, the other 20 to 26; also two generally moderate in weather periods, centering about 7 to 13 and 19 to 25.

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### The Hungry Man's Smile

"Hard Luck" can scarce believe his eyes.

"Real Quaker Oats: what a surprise!"

Behold his smile of goodly size,

The smile that won't come off.

# Quaker Oats

Look for the Coupon in the Package.

Say Quaker distinctly

### FISCAL COURTS.

#### SEVENTY-FIVE WILL BE ASKED FOR CONTRIBUTIONS.

The fiscal court of 75 counties in the state will meet on April 7 and a proposition will be made to each to make an appropriation towards the fund for a Kentucky building and Kentucky exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase exposition. McCracken is one of the 75. This is a work that concerns the entire state. One own county is as deeply concerned as any and cannot afford to be remiss in doing its share.

The Kentucky Exhibit association has laid plans, which, if carried out in full, will give the state the finest advertisement of its resources and products it has ever had. It has secured space many times larger in each department than the state had at the Chicago World's fair. It has already begun the work of collecting exhibits, it has selected a design for a handsome state building, it is pushing its work in every way and the people of the state cannot afford to be backward in doing their share. The gentlemen connected with the association are doing this work for nothing, pay out of their interest in seeing the state well represented at where it is now known will be the greatest of all the world's fairs.

### HISTORIC SPOTS.

#### THEY WILL BE MARKED AT NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Washington, March 31—A movement has been started in Washington looking to the erection of monuments of stone or tablets of bronze marking the historic and interesting spots in the national capital.

The idea has its founders in the action of the committee which had charge of the arrangements for the Grand Army encampment recently held here. That committee consulted authorities and carefully located every spot of national interest any place about the city. The facts collected covered the location of homes of men famous in the history of the country, the location of different armories, hospitals and headquarters during the Civil war and every other point that could possibly be of interest. It is proposed to ask the next congress to appropriate enough money to have tablets and monuments of dignified and artistically correct design erected as permanent records and indicators of historic spots.

### LOW RATES WEST

AND NORTHWEST.

Commencing February 15 and continuing daily until April 30, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell one-way second class colonist tickets from Paducah to Billings, Helena, Missoula, Ogden, Salt Lake, Spokane, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and intermediate points at extremely low rates, with stop-over privileges west of the first colonist point. For further information apply to

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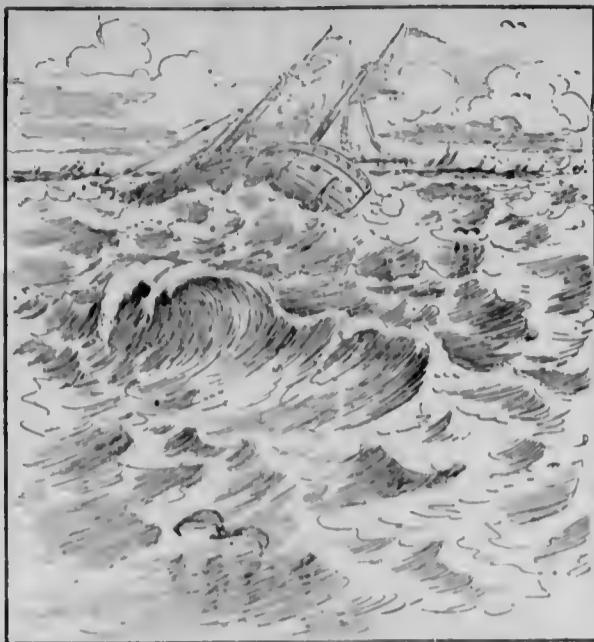
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## THE SUN'S PUZZLE PICTURE.



Can You See All Two Survivors of the Wreck?

## Winners of Yesterday's Prizes In Puzzle Contest.

Winners of yesterday's puzzle:  
Hattie Wilson,  
Millard Lee.

Eddie Hooser,  
Neva Riley,  
Olga Arnold.

## TWO THRILLING STORIES OF CIRCUS LIONS

Pittsfield, Mass., March 31—Two savage lions belonging to the Boston Traveling Menagerie were at large on the streets of Pittsfield last Saturday morning, creating a panic among the crowd assembled, killing one horse and mauling another.

That no person was killed by these savage beasts was owing to the prompt action of the keepers, who shot one of them dead while it was snapping a horse's throat.

The other animal ran through the streets and sought refuge in the central automobile station, where it was brought to bay and driven into its cage after it had been badly wounded.

The two lions were being lowered into their cage from the rear of the third story of the Academy of Music. When about 20 feet from the ground the cables holding the cage broke and it was thrown violently to the ground, breaking in pieces and releasing the animals.

The condition of the wounded lion

is unknown and it is thought she also will die. She is valued at \$1,000.

New York, March 31—To Princess, a female African lioness in Brown & Eddie's menagerie, came three calls on Saturday. She devoured them all besides a cat, to go with her on her first night out to sleep. A keeper took Princess outside in a corner of her cage at a snail's pace. One cub had been nearly devoured. The others were still alive.

The cage is in two compartments. In one of them was the mate of Princess. He was removed to another cage and an effort was made to drive Princess into the vacated compartment. She spread herself on the two living cubs, and determined prodding could not budge her. In the hope that darkness might put a stop to further cannibalism, her cage was covered so she was left alone. In the afternoon, when the cover was removed, Princess was asleep. The cubs had disappeared.

## PRESENTS ENOUGH TO BRING FORTUNE

New York, March 31—Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Robert L. Gerry, James B. Neilson, G. O. Gray, Jr., T. M. Adams and Robert Clark, the five young men who are not as others at the wedding of Huguineau C. Vanderbilt to Miss Etheline Neilson, have gone to Newport, where they will be entertained by the prospective bridegroom until he gives his bachelors' dinner at the Hilltop cottage. Mr. Vanderbilt has arranged a series of entertainments that will outrank in brilliancy anything seen in Newport for some time.

Miss Neilson's bridesmaids, Miss Is-

abello May, Miss Florence Twombly, Miss Evelyn Parsons and Miss Nathalie Schenck, will also go to Newport in a day or two, and will be entertained by Miss Neilson.

Among the presents that the bride has already received from the members of the Vanderbilt family are two diamond tiaras, diamond bracelets and necklaces, two diamond pendants, several diamond rings and stars, one set of earrings set with diamonds, silver dinner and tea services, gold dishes, vases, tapestries, lamps and clocks.

## DIVORCED FOUR TIMES FROM ONE MAN

Doblin, Ind., March 31—Six times married, five times divorced, four times married and divorced from one man, is the extraordinary matrimonial record of Grace Scott who formerly resided at Fort Wayne, 15 miles northwest of Doblin.

Grace Scott was once the most dazzling and beautiful maiden in eastern Indiana. She resided in the quiet little Quaker village with her parents until a few years ago, when Frank N. Coffin happened along.

Miss Scott and Coffin became infatuated immediately with each other.

## U. S. SHIELD CAN'T BE USED AS ADVERTISEMENT

Washington, March 31—The commissioner of patents, Mr. W. L. Allen, has rendered a decision prohibiting the use of a shield as a device of any design or emblem in a simulation of the United States shield or national emblem. The question has been before the patent office a number of times and there has been litigation over the attempts of manufacturers to work in a portion of the flag or a portion of the shield as a part of a trade-

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A number of other things are to be planned by the carnival committee, and it is expected that considerable business will be transacted.

## BACK FROM TEXAS.

CLERK JAMES ROBERTSON RE-  
TURNS FROM VACATION.

Second Clerk James Robertson of the Dick Powell, returned last night from a two weeks' trip to Texas. He visited many cities, and near Dallas over a dozen Col. Dan Dale's ranch.

He found this great former Peacock enjoying good health and prosperity, and in possession of one of the best ranches in the state. Mr. Robertson's stay was most pleasant in the Lone Star state.

## CURES SCIATIC RHEUMATISM

Mrs. A. E. Simpson, 509 Craig street, Knoxville, Tenn., writes, June 1, 1890: "I have been trying the baths of Hot Springs, Ark., for sciatic rheumatism, but I get more relief from Ballard's Snow Liniment than any medicine or anything I have ever tried. Enclosed find postoffice order for \$1. Send me a large bottle by southern express." Sold by Dr. Bois, Both & Co.

## TOWN MARSHAL MISSING.

Benton, March 31—It is feared by friends of Town Marshal Thomas Warren of Bardwell that he has met with foul play. He has been trying to locate the Bardwell bank robbers, and has been missing since Friday.

## A PHYSICIAN WRITES.

"I am desirous of knowing if the profession can obtain Rethine to bulk or prescribing purposes? It has been of great use to me in treating cases of hypopituitarism brought on by excesses or overwork. I have never known it to fail in restoring the organs affected, to their healthful activity." 500 bottles at Dr. Bois, Kolb & Co.

## KENTUCKY COAL

### STATISTICS BEING COMPILED OF OUR RESOURCES.

B. Sidney Stevens, field assistant of the United States geological survey and special agent of the United States census office, has reached Louisville, after a visit to many Kentucky coal mines. Since the latter part of January he has visited all coal mines from Paducah to Ashland. He is gathering information to be used in compiling a volume of mineral resources of the United States. In this data is included statistics regarding the total tonnage and value of Kentucky's coal production. He made the trip in company with William Langley, special agent of the United States census office. Mr. Langley will remain in Kentucky for some time, compiling the statistics of the state production.

This week Mr. Stevens leaves for Washington and from there will go to Western Pennsylvania to gather information regarding soft coal mines. Mr. Stevens is a graduate of Bethel Military Academy, in Virginia. Since his connection with the government he has been through nearly all of the coal mining fields.

## CAPT. BAILEY APPOINTED.

### HE IS NAMED AS DELEGATE TO IMPORTANT MEETING.

Captain Harry Bailey, of the police force, has been appointed one of the delegates from Kentucky to the conference of the Charities and Corrections at Atlanta, Ga., May 6 to 12. Captain Bailey does not yet know whether he will be able to attend or not.

# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. H. Fletcher. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifles with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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DAILY THOUGHT.

"The finer life begins when the soul becomes good, and not when the intellect ripens."

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight. Wednesday increasing cloudiness.

PADUCAH'S RAPID GROWTH.

Paducah is growing in wealth, population and size and should grow proportionately in modern improvements and other ways. The rapid march of progress in a commercial way is attested by bank clearings, postoffice receipts, and the rapid increase of our industries. We now need men in office who will take an interest in the city's welfare and not waste weeks and months of valuable time quibbling over nothing. We need men who know what to do, how to do it, and will do it quickly. The most simple and unimportant matters are not frequently hung up in the local boards for weeks at a time. This does not speak well for a city nor well for her officials and as long as our public officials remain listless and inactive and waste time over trifles, just so long will Paducah lag.

It seems that every effort to make improvements in Paducah meets with objection from some quarter, and that our officials listen to the most trivial protests, instead of considering the benefits that will result to the people as a whole. Objection has now been raised to building suitable pavements for the streets that are to be paved this year, on the ground that property owners are not able to pay for the sidewalk improvements. The effort should be to give the city better and appropriate pavements, and every piece of property that would be assessed is good for the cost. People are required to do a great many things toward building up a city that they would rather not think they are not able to do. People are required to pay taxes every year who may not really be able to pay them, but they have to do it. Property owners on Broadway were compelled to pay for the concrete sidewalks, and people in all parts of the city have been compelled to pay their share of improving streets and sidewalks, hence in building up a city "not able to pay" is no argument. The same spirit responsible for the above is exemplified in many other ways in Paducah and is holding the city back.

It is hoped that a lesson will be learned from the unmistakable evidence we have daily before us of Paducah's increasing business, and see that our position in every way is fully up to our commercial importance.

It is regretted that the plan to give the county better roads is being opposed by a few "knockers" who go about among the farmers sowing seeds of distrust, and telling them that there is a "graft" in it. If there were any graft in it, it ought to be easy to see it. It appears to be a plain, business

proposition, and if there is any graft in getting better roads by graveling them, the farmers to pay a portion of the costs and be rewarded by better roads the year round and reduced taxes because of reduced expenses in repairing the roads, no one has yet pointed it out. Those who are working to secure better roads are meeting with many obstacles in their efforts because of the insidious work of unprogressive people who go about prejudicing the ignorant. Such enemies to progress can do a great deal of harm, and do, but there does not seem to be any way to get rid of them.

The ambitious efforts of officers up at Rendell, Ky., to dislodge a negro murderer who sought refuge in a mine ought to bring them into demand everywhere as modern sleuths. The officers poured into the mines fumes from sulphur and cayenne pepper, and then forced in a few thousand cubic feet of foul air from another part of the mine. They now suppose the murderer is dead. Probably should he prove otherwise, however, they might try burning him at the stake or rending him on the rack. It might not be much worse, but it would doubtless prove more effective.

Governor Beckham has promptly denied the anti-machine fake that his following was about to stampede and that he was thinking of withdrawing. The silly argument that five judges of the court of appeals did not think him eligible will probably have no effect when the Democrats fully understand that the legislature and not the court of appeals, decides the qualifications of governor. Therefore what the court of appeals thinks about Governor Beckham's eligibility "ents no ice."

McCracken county should donate towards having Kentucky properly represented at the St. Louis exposition as much as other counties have in proportion to their population and importance. Many fiscal courts meet next week, and fully seventy-five will be asked to give something to the Kentucky Exhibit association. This country should not appear short.

The anti-machine men of the Democratic party seem to depend on misrepresentation, exaggeration and sometimes downright lying in their effort to down Beckham, but he has beaten them at every stage of the game so far, and if the machine doesn't come out on top in the windup the anti-machine men will probably be as much surprised as any one.

The operators and miners have finished their annual game of hide-and-seek and the miners got 10 per cent more than last year. The operator maintains his usual equanimity and wears his sweetest smile, for he knows that the people pay the freight. The advance will fall on the consumer, not the operator.

The tobacco trust has lost in its fight against the independent manufacturers of cigars in Illinois. It paid out \$500,000 in an effort to divorce smokers from the independent goods by reducing the price of its own, but in the end it wouldn't work and the fight has benefited no one but the smokers.

Pierpont Morgan is thinking of founding an art museum, as Mr. Carnegie has left no public libraries to build.

BASEBALL NEWS

NOTHING DEFINITE YET RECEIVED FROM CAIRO PROMOTERS.

Word was expected yesterday from Cairo concerning what will be done there in the way of entering the baseball league, but nothing definite was received. As the season is rapidly approaching it remains doubtful whether or not Cairo will be able to join the league.

The "Sterlings" is the name of an amateur baseball team that is being organized by Messrs. R. C. Calissi and Tom Evans. It is named after the brand of beer Mr. Calissi handles.

UNPROVOKED

THIS IS WHAT BERTIE TYLER SAID OF THE ASSAULT.

Bertie Tyler, colored, this morning procured a warrant against Lizzie Jones, colored, for coming to her house and attempting to break in her door and "start trouble."

Judge Sanders questioned the woman closely, but failed to learn why the attack had been made. The Tyler women claimed that she had done nothing to the Jones woman and that the attack was absolutely unprovoked. The case will be tried tomorrow morning. The women reside on South Main street.

"When Knighthood Was in Flower," by Charles Major, one of the best writers of the present day, will start in The Sun tomorrow.

It is one of the very best of the romantic novels. Picturesque in setting, full of action, sentiment and wit, it has won a place in the literary world and will live forever. Be sure to start with the first installment tomorrow.

## INTO NEW STORE

The Kentucky Glass and Queens-  
ware Co., to Move.

Goes Into the Nahm Building  
May 1.

A deal was closed today whereby the Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co. leased for five years the handsome building on Broadway between Fourth and Fifth owned by Messrs. Max Nahm of Bowling Green and Joseph L. Friedman of the city, and recently occupied by the howling aleve. The company has been occupying the present quarters since purchasing The Arcade retail store, and has been on the lookout for a new location for some time.

It is the intention of the company to give Paducah an up to date queensware store in every detail, something of which the city may feel proud. Mr. Potter, the manager, is a man who has had a good deal of experience in the business. He is an up-to-date man and with the backing of the company gives him will undoubtedly make a great success of the combined stores.

The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co. has been in the wholesale business for a number of years and is doing a big business. It has always been the desire of the company to put in an up-to-date retail store in Paducah and when the opportunity to merge the Arcade business with its presented itself it was accepted as giving the desired opening.

It is the present intention to effect the removal about the first of May. Meanwhile a great removal sale will be inaugurated this week in order to close out a lot of odds and ends and put the stock in fresh condition.

GOES TO EUROPE.

MR. W. H. PINKERTON TO BE ABSENT NEARLY THREE MONTHS.

Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, the popular pastor of the First Christian church, will leave shortly for Europe and will be absent on this tour about two and a half months. The trip is a gift from some of the members of his congregation and the church has granted him a several months' vacation to enjoy it.

This is a deserved recognition and splendid appreciation of the earnestness and good work of one who has never spared himself. Mr. Pinkerton is an able preacher and an efficient pastor and is popular throughout the city, and his host of friends will be glad of this rest and recreation which he has well earned and is well fitted to enjoy.

Saved By a Dog. John Daum, aged four, was rescued from drowning by a dog at Evansville, Ind., recently. He fell from his velocipede into a ditch filled with water, and being stunned was unable to rise. A large bird dog caught the boy by the neck and dragged him out.

A FATAL MISTAKE.

IS OFTEN MADE BY THE WISES OF PADUCAH PEOPLE.

It is a fatal mistake to neglect backache.

Backache is the first symptom of kidney ill.

Serious complications follow.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure them promptly.

Don't delay until too late.

Until it becomes diabetes—Bright's disease.

Read what a Paducah citizen says.

Mr. J. A. Houser of 1421 South Main street, carpenter, says: "I have been subject to kidney complaint all my life, not constantly nor seriously but every now and then, sometimes without warning, I had attacks, some of which laid me up. I noticed that the contraction of a cold always affected my kidneys and when in this condition in addition to backache there was trouble with the kidney secretions. Like I had tried more than one preparation, I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Dr. Doan's, Kilb & Co.'s drug store and took a course of the treatment. The last attack disappeared. So pleased was I with the results that I gave Doan's Kidney Pills to a child of mine who was with weak kidneys. The results obtained stamp Doan's Kidney Pills as being up to representations."

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## A Wife Says:

"We have four children. With the first three I suffered almost unbearable pains from 12 to 14 hours, and had to be placed under the influence of chloroform. I used three bottles of Mother's Friend before our last child came, which is a strong, fat and healthy boy, doing my housework up to within two hours of birth, and suffered but a few hard pains. This liniment is the grandest remedy ever made."

### Mother's Friend

will do for every woman what it did for the Minnesota mother who writes the above letter. Not to use it during pregnancy is a mistake to be paid for in pain and suffering. Mother's Friend equips the patient with a strong body and clear intellect, which in turn are imparted to the child. It relaxes the muscles and allows them to expand. It relieves morning sickness and nervousness. It puts all the organs concerned in perfect condition for the final hour, so that the actual labor is short and practically painless. Danger of rising or hard breasts is altogether avoided, and recovery is merely a matter of a few days.

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## THE DEAL CLOSED

Capt. Ed Howard Purchases the Marine Ways Here.

He Will Take Charge Tomorrow and Make Extensive Improvements.

MAY ADD FOUNDRY LATER

Captain Ed Howard and his son, Clyde Howard, arrived today from Jeffersonville, Ind., and at a meeting with the owners of the Paducah marine ways at the Paducah Banking company, before noon, closed the deal for the marine ways here. Captain Howard purchasing them in his own name. He will take charge tomorrow morning, and no changes will be made at the present time, at any rate.

This deal has been talked of for several months past. It was first understood that the American shipbuilding syndicate would buy the property, and Captain W. W. Hazzard has been here several times on business connected with the deal, but the purchase made today is in Captain Howard's name. He will take charge tomorrow morning, and no changes will be made at the present time, at any rate.

The consideration paid for the ways is private, but is understood to have been somewhere in the neighborhood of \$40,000. Captain Howard always keeps his property in the best of shape and equips it with the most modern and best machinery, and no doubt it will not be long until its especially is increased and there is a demand for many more additional laborers.

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A Thin-Sell Crop. Egmont is one of the crops most easily cultivated. A peculiarity of the plant is that it makes the most rapid and permanent growth on the barest of mental, reservations. Los Angeles Herald.

### Ancient Banking House.

Dr. A. T. Clay, formerly a pupil and now assistant of Prof. Herman V. Hillebrecht, the world's leading authority on Babylonian antiquities, has been at work several months deciphering and arranging the records of the banking firm of Murashu Sons, which was the leading banking house of the city of Nippur, in Babylon, several hundred years before Christ, says the Brown Book. Mortgages, worded in a form very similar to that in use in the present day; wills, deed of sale or rent, merchant's guarantees of goods sold in the markets, and other business dealings of almost every conceivable kind are found among them.

### Teacher Makes Nest Answer.

Chicago once had as its superintendent of city schools a bachelor named Howland, whose gruffness of manner and love of neatness were proverbial. Going into the room of a young and attractive teacher one day, Mr. Howland took notice of an untidy desk and a carelessly arranged bookshelf, and, pointing his finger at them, queried, brusquely: "What kind of a housekeeper do you think you'd make?" "Why, Mr. Howland, are you looking for one?" was the humorously quizzical reply.

### Mrs. Cleveland's Social Plans.

Anticipation is made that Mrs. Grover Cleveland, having soon her four children beyond the very young stage, will spend a good part of the winter in New York mingling in social gayety. All the children except the boy "favor" their father. The exception is distinctly a "Frances Folsom boy," so the friends of the family say. Miss Ruth has begun to go into society a little, though as yet she is far from "out," but she visits numerous gatherings in the Cleveland set.

### When a Man is Drunk.

An English magistrate has added another to the many judicial dicta on the subject of how to test whether a man is drunk or not. "Are you drunk?" asked counsel of a witness in a case at Norwich. "Well, I know what I was doing," replied the witness. "Ah," interrupted the recorder, "when a man is drunk and knows that he is drunk, then he is not drunk, but when he is drunk and does not know that he is drunk, then he is drunk, indeed."

### European Wife of Chinaman.

When Mr. Tseng, the new Chinese consul, arrived at his post to New York, there was considerable surprise that his wife, instead of being a small-footed little oriental lady, is a fair-haired, pink-cheeked, broad-shouldered young English woman. She and her husband met when he was attached to the Chinese legation in London. They were married three years ago and have one child, boy of two years. The Tsengs seem to be a very happy couple.

### Bright's Witty Rator.

Once in the course of a speech which was punctuated by interruptions in parliament John Bright was saying: "Personally, I do not feel disposed to wage war against these Philistines," when an ornate member of his audience shouted, "Heeb-haw!" "However," Mr. Bright continued without a pause, "my friend at the back of the hall will land me one of his jaws I shall be encouraged to reconsider my attitude, in view of the historic success of Samson when provided with a similar weapon."

### Origin of the Word "Roerbach."

Over fifty years ago a writer of Thurloe's "Albany Evening Journal" signed his letters "Baron Roerbach." There was no man named "Roerbach." But the absolute falsity of the writer's statements was such that a "Roerbach" became a synonym for any kind of lie, especially for the kind against personal character, suddenly issued against a man for his injury when he could not meet it to avert the harm.

### Curious Royal Custom.

When any Spanish sovereign dies the body is at once submitted to the process of fossilization, nor can it be placed in the royal pantheon until the body has been absolutely turned into stone. Curiously enough, the period required for fossilization varies considerably. Some royal bodies have become solidified in very short period, while others have taken years before the fossilization took place. It took exactly thirteen years to convert the body of the father of the present king of Spain into stone.

### It Pleasest the Little Girl.

When Sir Edwin Arnold was in the Zoo he heard a little girl ask her mother whether it would hurt the elephant if she gave it a chocolate drop. This recalls another pretty incident. Sydney Smith, noticing his granddaughter petting the back of a turtle, inquired why she did so. The little lass explained that she was doing it "to please the turtle." "My dear," he answered, "you might as well stroke the dome of St. Paul's to please the deer and chapter."

### For about two weeks.

Philip Luttrell, of New York, who is a member of the British Parliament, has a large personal collection of Indian and Chinese porcelains, which he has collected for many years. He has a large collection of Indian and Chinese porcelains, which he has collected for many years.

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HAVE your soiled suit or pants  
made to look like new at Duperrier's,  
corner Fourth and Broadway, over  
Metherhous' drug store.

THE LUTHERAN ladies' society  
will meet with Mrs. Mike Ketler in  
Mechanicsburg tomorrow afternoon.  
Mrs. Frank Kirehoff, president.

BURIED HERE—The remains of  
Wiley Johnson, colored, who died in  
Texas, reached the city last evening  
and were buried here today.

FUNERAL TOMORROW—The  
funeral of the late Mrs. Swift will  
take place tomorrow afternoon at 3  
o'clock from the residence, services to  
be conducted by Rev. T. J. Newell.

LICENSED TO WED—Mr. Verey  
Perry of Bell, Tenn., aged 24, a mer-  
chant, and Miss Lola McCrary of the  
city, aged 23, were licensed to wed  
this morning. It will make the first  
marriage of both.

DIED OF CROUP—The 2 year old  
son of Matt Sullivan of the Lone  
Oak section died this morning of croup  
after an illness of several days and  
will be buried tomorrow at Mount  
Kenton cemetery.

BE SURE TO READ "When  
Knighthood Was in Flower," which  
starts in The Sun tomorrow. If you  
have not read any of these contained  
stories The Sun has been running you  
have missed a treat. Don't do so  
again. Read this one.

CRACK SHOTS TO COMPETE—  
Friday afternoon there promises to be  
some lively shooting at the Gnu club  
grounds in Wallace park. A match  
has been arranged between Messrs.  
Ben Weller, W. B. Kennedy, Tom Sanders,  
W. A. Davis and Harry Beyer.

THE SCHOOL CENSUS—The tak-  
ing of the school censuses will begin  
tomorrow. Messrs. J. M. Hart, Wm.  
Baker and J. Henry Smith, the exam-  
iners, to complete their work some  
time in April. Quite an increase is  
expected in the number of school  
children. The census is taken for the  
purpose of ascertaining what Paducah  
is entitled to from the state on her  
school children.

Mark Twain's Sarcastic Comment.  
Mark Twain spent much of last summer  
at one of his summer homes, Quarry Farm, at Elmira. One day  
he went into one of the local book  
shops and looked over the line of  
fountain pens offered. Selecting one,  
he took it home on trial. While most  
fountain pens are practicable, some  
few are not, and the proprietor of the  
shop concluded that Mr. Clemens had  
inadvertently taken one of the latter  
when he returned it a few days later  
with the brief comment: "A nail in  
disguise."

ATTORNEY William Marble went to  
Marion today at noon.

Mr. Will Winston went to Louisville  
at noon today to complete his course  
in medicine.

Mrs. M. K. Scott and Miss Eliza-  
beth Schree went to Dawson today at  
noon.

Clay Lemon arrived from Mayfield  
at noon today.

Deputy U. S. Marshal George Sam-  
mons today at noon.

### Social Notes and About People.

#### WEDDING AND RECEPTION TONIGHT.

The marriage of Miss Melitta Fried-  
man of this city to Mr. Benjamin Levy  
of Iowa will take place at the resi-  
dence of the bride's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Julius Friedman, on North Sixth  
street, this evening at 8 o'clock. The  
ceremony will be performed by Rabbi  
David Alexander of Temple Israel and  
will be witnessed only by relatives  
and a few friends. A reception from  
9 to 11 will follow the ceremony, and  
to this a large number of invitations  
have been issued.

The bride will wear a pretty gown  
of tan crepe with wedding veil and  
will carry white roses. Miss Viola  
Ullman of this city, the maid of  
honor, will be gowned in pink organza  
and will carry pink carnations.

Mr. Manlee Kohlman of Madison-  
ville, Ky., will act as best man. Little  
James Friedman, the son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Herman Friedman of this city,  
will be the ring bearer, and will wear  
a page's court costume of white satin.

The color scheme of white and pink  
will be carried out in the house decora-  
tions.

The couple will leave on the Illinois  
Central train at 8:45 tomorrow morn-  
ing for a bridal trip South. They will  
make their home in the city.

A number of out-of-town guests are  
expected for the wedding and will in-  
clude: Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Levy, Mr.  
Henry H. Levy, Mr. Sidney Levy and  
Mr. Ben Rosenbaum, of Louisville; Mrs.  
Jacob Hecht of St. Louis; Mr. and  
Mrs. Aaron Well and Mr. Sam  
Simon of Evansville.

#### MARRIED YESTERDAY

Mr. Jesse Posey, of Henderson, a  
railroad fireman, and Miss Stella Blair,  
of the county, a daughter of the well  
known freight conductor, were mar-  
ried yesterday afternoon at the resi-  
dence of the bride on the Mayfield  
road. Both are well known and pop-  
ular young people and have the con-  
gratulations of their many friends.  
They gave an informal reception after  
the ceremony.

#### DALPHIN CLUB.

The Dalphin club met with Miss  
Kathleen Whitefield this morning at  
her home at Court and Seventh streets.

#### CHARITY CLUB.

The Charity club will meet to-  
morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the  
Palmer home.

Mr. Tom McGuire has returned to  
Memphis, after a brief visit to relatives.

Mr. Tom Lyle went to Murray this  
morning on business.

Attorney G. C. Dalguild went to  
Murray this morning on business.

Mr. O. C. Miller, of Cairo, was at  
the Palmer today.

Mr. Joe Ramage, of Salem, Ky., is  
visiting his son, Mr. J. H. Ramage of  
206 Adams.

Mr. George Langstaff has returned  
from a business trip to Louisville.

Mr. Jack Mann, the popular white-  
tear drummer of St. Louis, is here on a  
brief visit to his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meyers will to-  
day return from a visit to New Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Oehlschlaeger,  
Sr., are expected home today from Hot  
Springs.

Mrs. Frank Hoover and son, Conn-  
ellman Ed Gilton, are expected today  
from a visit to Evansville.

Miss Myrtle Clover has gone to Mem-  
phis to accept a position as stenogra-  
pher in a music house.

Mrs. Sally Morrow and daughter,  
Miss Emily, leave today for Memphis  
on a visit.

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Miss Mary Neblett of Brownsville,  
Tenn., who has been the guest of the  
Moses Newell of North Seventh  
street, left this morning, via the N.  
C. & St. L.

Mr. J. W. Hindson, the contractor,  
leaves next week for Memphis, where  
his suit against the Illinois Central,  
for \$20,000 damages for the death of  
his son, Fireman Harry Hindson, comes  
up.

Mr. C. O. Grassham and wife were  
in the city today on route home to  
Smithland. They have been to Lon-  
ville, where Mrs. Grassham was ill in  
an infirmary, and her many friends  
will be pleased to learn that she is  
better.

Mrs. John L. Webb has returned  
from an extended visit to her daughter,  
Mrs. Hamilton Parks of Nash-  
ville, Tenn., and a few days' stay at  
Dawson. She was accompanied home  
by Capt. Webb, who has been at Dawson  
re recuperating from a severe attack  
of grip which he had recently in Cincinnati.

#### WORTH COMING MILES TO SEE.

Hundreds of ladies have thronged  
Harbour's millinery department to-  
day. Without doubt this spring opening  
of millinery set by Mrs. Harbour  
for today and tomorrow is without  
precedent or parallel in Paducah, and  
is worth coming miles to see.

Expressions of praise were heard on every  
side today. The most bewitching,  
captivating, delightful, graceful,  
lovely, charming hats in the city were  
the enchanting words used by the  
many admiring ladies who visited the  
opening today. In addition to the  
continued millinery opening set for to-  
morrow, a high class garment man-  
ufacturer will be on hand to give an  
opening in swell silk coats, walking  
suits and ready to wear skirts on to-  
morrow, Wednesday, April 1, to which  
everybody is cordially invited.

#### Novel Wedding Ceremony.

Justice of the Peace Henry Bundy of  
Jersey City recently married Mrs.  
Mary Becker, and the ceremony was  
performed before a mirror. The bride  
groom officiated as the minister, and  
looking in the glass asked the usual  
questions of his own reflection, and  
answered them himself. Then he pro-  
nounced the couple man and wife,  
kissed the bride twice, once for the  
justice and once for the groom, and then  
started on his honeymoon trip.

#### WHERE Silence Was Golden.

"Did you know that I passed your  
door last evening?" said the young  
man tenderly.

"Of course," replied the beautiful  
girl, with reproach in her glistening  
eyes. "Do you think I would not  
know your step?"

"Certainly," said the happy young  
man, as he directed the conversa-  
tion away from the subject and  
avoided remarking that he passed  
the door in a cab.

#### Poetic Gem Spoiled.

An old bachelor, who had become  
meloancholy and poetical, wrote some  
verses for the village paper, in which  
he expressed the hope that the time  
would soon come when he should  
"rest calmly within a shroud."

"With a weeping willow by my side,"  
but to his inexpressible horror it  
came out in print—  
"When I shall rest calmly within a  
shawl."

#### Recreation in the Ark.

The animals in Noah's collection,  
wearying of the monotony of the long  
voyage, were having a social little  
dance. "It seems to me," said the gal-  
lant, with some irritation, "it takes  
a lot of gall for as clumsy a boar as  
that kangaroo to force himself into  
the society of graceful dancers."

"Oh, I don't know," said the giraffe,  
acting as floor manager. "It's all right,  
I guess, for an informal hop."

#### Liven Entirely on Milk.

Four quarts of milk daily, or there-  
abouts, for twenty years has been the  
sole diet of Thomas F. Laubach, of  
Hazleton, Pa. Two decades ago Mr.  
Laubach, being then 51 years old, was  
in very bad health, and his physician  
gave up his case. Then he decided to  
doctor himself and has done so ever  
since, absolutely confining his diet to  
milk. Now he is one of the healthiest  
and stoutest men in town.

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### SAW HIS OWN GRAVE

Indiana Man Goes to Shiloh to Read Epitaph.

His Friends Buried What They Supposed Was His Body But It Wasn't.

### AN INTERESTING STORY

Among the many interesting old war stories told at the Shiloh last week when the 100th anniversary was dedicated, will be William O. Phillips, of Indianapolis, who is one of the few men who have seen the same grave of a friend twice over. Phillips, a recent law graduate, M. Phillips, a recent law graduate, D. Phillips, and others to Shiloh and will be there, 600 Indians with him.

The big party of the Indians will be in Louisville first, stopping place, and will proceed on to the Lookout and Nashville railroad to Decatur, Tenn., and there will enter to meet Phillips. Major Phillips, Indian chief will be among Governor Daniels' party, and they will be joined at Louisville by General Simon Bolivar Buckner and Assistant Secretary of War Saenger.

Mr. Phillips is especially anxious to see the battlefield again, because his late, beloved mother, is buried there. Mr. Phillips had been wounded in the battle and was ordered to the rear to have his leg amputated. Just as he was led a shell exploded into a decayed ash tree near him and covered him with flying dirt and bark. By a miracle he escaped injury, and after a while continued on his way to the rear, but his companions felt sure he had been killed. They afterward found a body, mangled beyond recognition, near the site of the explosion, and feeling sure it must be the remains of Mr. Phillips tenderly bore it away and buried it. The rough board above the grave bore the inscription:

WILLIAM C. PHIPPS,  
Company A, Eleventh Indiana,  
Died April 7, 1862.

That night, after the battle was over, they wrote to Mr. Phillips' relatives that he had been killed.

Mr. Phillips went to a tent hospital that night and was cared for by the surgeons of another regiment. The next day he returned to his own camp, where his companions were mourning his death. The first man he met exclaimed:

"How is the boy—did you dig out?"

That was the first intimation he had that he was dead and buried. He went the next morning to look at his grave, and now is returning to see it again.

### SO SWEET AND

PLEASING IN TASTE.  
Mrs. C. Petersen, 625 Lake street, Topeka, Kan., speaking of Ballard's Horchow Syrup, says: "It has never failed to give entire satisfaction, and of all cough remedies, it is my favorite, and I must confess to my many friends that it will do, and has done, what is claimed for it—to speedily cure a cough or a cold; and it is so sweet and pleasing in taste." 25c, 50c, and \$1 bottle at DuBois, Kohl & Co.

### WILL BE TEST CASE.

TELEGRAPH COMPANY WILL FIGHT THE LICENSE TAX ORDINANCE.

The city will collect no license from the telegraph companies at present, having been restrained by an order of several courts. It seems probable now that the city never will, as one cannot be collected under the company's grant according to a number of lawyers. The city some time ago imposed a tax of \$1 a pole against the companies in lieu of a license tax, but later it is understood, that law was knocked out by the supreme court. The city then submitted the license requirement of \$25 a year, but the company now declines to pay this, claiming that it has free access to every highway in the United States under its federal grant of 1866.

### CHILDREN'S COUGHS AND COLDS

Mrs. Joe McGrath, 327 E. 1st street, Hutchinson, Kan., writes: "I have given Ballard's Horchow Syrup to my children for coughs and colds for the past four years, and find it the best medicine I ever used." Unlike many cough syrups, it contains no opium, but will soothe and heal any disease of the throat or lungs quicker than any other remedy. 25c, 50c, and \$1 at DuBois, Kohl & Co.

### A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES"

What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disorder of LIVER.

THIS IS A FACT which may be demonstrated by trying a course of

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#### LAND IS RESTORED.

Washington, March 31—The secretary of the interior has issued an order restoring to the public domain nearly 1,000,000 acres of land in Nebraska and Johnson counties, Wyo., that were withdrawn from public entry about a year ago as oil lands. An English syndicate represented to the department that the lands were highly valuable as oil lands and undetected to develop them. The company spent a large amount of money in development work, but failed to discover oil in sufficient quantities to warrant the permanent reservation of the land from homestead entry. Several wells have been drilled and the order restoring the land to entry reservation area in the vicinity of the promising wells.

BERLIN IMPORTS MUCH FRUIT.  
In the year ending April 1, 1900, Berlin imported from Italy 500 carloads of cherries, 357 of table grapes, 345 of summer fruits, etc. In the following twelve months the imports doubled.

### PETER'S LATEST.

HE IS GETTING READY TO BUILD SOME MORE RAILROADS.

Mr. Peter Arlind, formerly of Paducah, who at one time was president of the iron furnace company, has embarked in another enterprise.

Mr. Peter Arlind and a number of citizens of New Castle have begun plans to build a railroad from that place to Eminence, and a large amount of the capital required for the enterprise has already been subscribed, says yesterday's Courier-Journal.

Mr. Arlind and Dr. McGinnis held a conference in Louisville last week, and a proposition for the construction of the road was submitted to the promoter by the New Castle man. According to the agreement the road is to be of standard gauge and thoroughly equipped in every particular. It is to be completed by September 1, and until the conditions laid down are complied with and the road is ready for the transportation of passengers no money is to be paid out by the subscribers of the stock.

Mr. Arlind will go to New Castle tomorrow to confer with those behind the movement, and it is expected that final arrangements for the construction of the road will be completed.

The following directors of the road have already been named: Dr. McGinnis, W. W. Tamm, S. J. Douchie, of New Castle; John A. Crabb, Shelly Wilson and L. B. Helburn, of Eminence.

#### Cautious Client.

Lawyer—Well, since you called in I have looked very carefully over the merits of your case and have arrived at the conclusion that there is no money in it.

Client—Indeed. Then I can safely leave it in your hands.

### IKE COHEN

at 106 South 2d street, Paducah's only pawnbroker, has paid \$700 this day for license as pawnbroker. All citizens including saloonkeepers and banks are warned and cautioned not to lend money on collateral or personal property, as the law says that is doing a pawn business and they are liable to a fine, and for which they will be prosecuted by law.

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## Theatrical Notes.

"King Dodo" has a new star, and he is just as sure to shine in the firmament of comedy as the sun is to set tonight. He was hero last night at The Kentucky theater, and made an immediate and a tremendous hit in the role of "King Dodo." This clever little man is Frank Deshon, and he has been playing "King Dodo" just two weeks. The large audience that filled out of The Kentucky last night was disappointed—pleasantly disappointed. Those who imagined that they would see a troupe of worn out, second class actors and actresses found a first class company of lively, clever people. Not only a good company, but a large one, and one that carries a full orchestra and special scenery.

But about the new "King Dodo." Two weeks ago Charles Meyers, the man playing the part in the company here last night was transferred to the western company, and Mr. Frank Deshon, who had been with "The Messenger Boy," was secured to take the part. He joined the company at Hannibal, Mo., and everywhere he has appeared in the brief interval since he has made a hit. He is a comedian from crown to toe, clever, active, with a strong, clear voice that is as provoking to the risibilities in his songs as when he talks, which is something unusual in a comedian. Mr. Deshon goes further. He drifts works in local hits wherever he goes, as he did last night, when in one dialogue he told the inn-keeper "to keep the change and give it to the city to pave the streets with."

His work elicited the greatest applause. Mr. Deshon was years ago in the old Wihlar Opera company in the heyday of its fame, and is to a young man in the business by any means.

He was ably supported last night by May Emory, as "Queen Lili," Leslie Leigh, as "Angela," the king's ward, "Ruth Peeples, as "Annette," Maada Williams, as "Piola," all with good voices, and by Harry Carter as "Mudge" and "Bouilla;" James F. Abbott as "Pedro;" Robert Lett as "Dr. Fizz," the court physician, and others in minor roles. The chorus was composed of pretty, shapely girls and was well trained. The scenery was fine, and the costume equal to the demands of the production.

Among the hits made were "Look in the Book," "The Cat's Quartette," "The Tale of a Bomb Bee," and "They Gave Me a Medal for That." The company ends its tour in Chicago May 2 and opens at the Studebaker, where it originated a few years ago on May 9 for a long run.

Some idea of the amount of traveling many of the theatrical troupes have to stand during a season may be learned from the route of the "Other People's Money" company. It started from San Francisco in September, and when it reached Paducah last Saturday had traveled 19,300 miles since its tour began, and the season is not over yet. The enormous transportation expense may never be estimated from that, as each member of the average troupe, traveling the far in a season costs at the lowest \$300 or \$400

Not alone in its serious scenes is "A Ruined Life" successful by the comedy characters are of exceedingly humorous types, far out of the ordinary and well calculated to furnish laughter and amusement. Several specialties are introduced during the play's action and for this purpose alone several high class vaudeville artists are carried by the organization. "A Ruined Life" is booked to appear at The Kentucky Friday night, April 8.

### IN POLICE COURT.

ALL THE CASES TRIED TODAY  
WERE MISDEMEANORS.

Judge Sanders had a brief session of police court this morning and fined George Tilley, white, \$10 and costs for swinging on a railroad rail.

Bill Brown, colored, and Jim Taylor and Ernest Ozment, white, were arraigned for a breach of the peace. It is alleged that Taylor and Ozment jumped on the negro and assaulted him with bricks and sticks. The case was continued until tomorrow.

Wilson Hayes and Frank Robinson, colored, tried to make a lodging house out of the sandwich in the local A. C. shop yards and were fined \$5 and costs each for the offense. The Robinson negro had a razor concealed on his person and was arraigned for this, but the case continued until Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Sleet, of Midway, Ky., are in the city and will return today. They will locate here.

## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 32.4 on the gauge, a fall of 0.2 in last 24 hours. Wind southwest, a light breeze. Weather clear and pleasant. Temperature 43. Fall, Observ.

The Summers went into Cumberland river yesterday for ties.

The Russell Lord went into White river yesterday for ties.

The Butteroff left yesterday for Clarksville with a good trip.

The J. M. Howell arrived yesterday from Tennessee river with ties.

The Margaret left this morning for Tennessee river for a tow of ties.

The Lydia went out yesterday en route to Tennessee river for ties.

The Dick Fowler left on time this morning for Cairo with a good trip.

The Sunshine is due down this afternoon from Cincinnati to Memphis.

The Savannah passed up today en route to Tennessee river from St. Louis.

The John S. Hopkins is today's Evansville packet and had not arrived at press time.

The Rees Lee passed up yesterday afternoon en route to Cincinnati from Memphis with a good trip.

The Memphis will leave St. Louis tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock and will pass into Tennessee river Friday.

The Avalon arrived from Chattanooga yesterday afternoon with an excellent trip, and is now at Brookport unloading.

Captains John Darrah and E. W. B. Nowland, of Memphis, are in the city looking after the repairing of their boat, the Delta.

The Doffey did not get out yesterday on account of the illness of Captain A. W. Wright. Captain Wright will probably be up in a day or two and if he does not recover soon, another master will be procured to command the boat during his illness.

The towboat Barrett, now on the marine ways at Mound City, will be when set afloat the largest high pressure towboat on the Western waters. She is 210 feet long, 37 feet beam, with 28-inch cylinders and 10-foot stroke. About \$25,000 is being spent on her to make her perfect in every detail. New steel cylinder timbers are being put on her and a immense electric light plant, besides many other improvements, are being added. When completed she will do the heavy towling for the famous Barrett line between Cincinnati, Louisville, Cairo, St. Louis and New Orleans. She's a whale in size and power, and a handsome towboat with a complete outfit and well furnished.

"When was the first sternwheel steamboat built?" asks a Courier-Journal correspondent. The first steamboat built for the west was the Orleans in 1811. She had a propelling wheel at the stern and two masts for sails. Her capacity was 100 tons and her average speed three miles an hour in slack water. The Enterprise—the fourth boat built—was the first to make the trip from New Orleans to this city in 1815. She was also a sternwheel boat and was built by Mr. French, at Brownsville, Pa., the great grandfather of Mr. Dan French, now living in Port Fulton, above Jeffersonville. This boat had a vibrating cylinder, the invention of French. The piston rod was attached directly to the crank without slides or cross head, the oscillations of the cylinder opened and closed the valves. At this time it was not yet demonstrated that the sternwheel would be a success. The sternwheel was then discarded as not being practical and sidewheelers were universally built until about 1850, when the successful sternwheel boat began to be used in the upper Ohio, and now there is hardly any other but sternwheel boats in use. The Orleans then was the first sternwheel boat ever built.

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Wilson Hayes and Frank Robinson, colored, tried to make a lodging house out of the sandwich in the local A. C. shop yards and were fined \$5 and costs each for the offense. The Robinson negro had a razor concealed on his person and was arraigned for this, but the case continued until Thursday.

### SHOP BURNS

FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLED OUT  
EARLY TODAY.

The central fire department was called to Fifth and Jackson streets this morning about 3 a. m. to extinguish a fire in a blacksmith shop owned by Mr. George Greif.

The origin of the fire is unknown and the shop was a mass of flames when the firemen arrived. The building was being used as a carpenter shop and two cheats of 1000 were burned up in the conflagration. The loss will amount to little as the building was not a very elaborate affair.



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